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C O N F I D E N T I A L LISBON 592

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TAGS: MILI, PO, US

SUBJ: USN SHIPS VISITS TO LISBON

REF: A. 75 LISBON 6782 (DTG 141449Z NOV 75)

B. 75 LISBON 7358 (DTG 101727Z DEC 75)

1. USS CLAUDE V. RICKETTS AND USS SELLERS VISITED LISBON 14-17 AND 17-19 JAN 76 RESPECTIVELY, CONFORMING WITH SHIP VISIT RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED REFTELS. THESE VISITS WERE SIGNIFICANT IN WILLINGNESS SHOWN BY PORTUGUESE NAVY AUTHORITIES IN ACCOMMODATING SHIPS ON SHORT NOTICE, AND IN PARTICULAR BY THE FAVORABLE CONTACTS MADE AT LEVEL OF JUNIOR PORTUGUESE AND US NAVY PERSONNEL.

2. THERE WERE NO LIBERTY INCIDENTS NOR VISIBLE ANTAGONISM AGAINST US, USN, OR SHIPS CREWS. SHIPS CREWS WERE ADVISED BY ALUSNA TO STAND CLEAR OF MANIFESTATION PROTESTING GOVERNMENT AUSTERITY MEASURES WHICH THEY DID. PRESS GAVE LOW KEY PLAY MENTIONING THAT VISIT WAS OPERATIONAL.

3. OVERALL IMPACT OF VISITS WAS HIGHLY POSITIVE.
CONTINUATION OF SHIP VISITS ON ROUTINE BASIS IS
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DESIRED AND HAS BEEN RECOMMENDED THROUGH NAVY CHANNELS.

4. OCCASIONAL NAVY SHIP VISITS TO OTHER PORTUGUESE PORTS
AS EXPANSION OF PORT VISIT PROGRAM WILL BE ADDRESSED BY
SEPARATE CABLE.
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